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IMPROVING TREATMENT AND RESEARCH FACILITIES
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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has any scheme under considertaiton to improve medical treatment and research facilitIES in the country;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the amount likely to be allotted for the implementation of this scheme?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE (DR. ANBUMANI RAMADOSS)

(a) to (c) : Improvement of medical treatment and research facilities is a continuous process within the resources available. Apart from various premier Institutes like All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS), Post Graduate Institute of Medical Education and Research, Chandigarh, Jawaharlal Nehru Institute of Post Graduate Medical Education and Research, Pondicherry, National Institute of Mental Health and Neuro Surgery, Bangalore ETC. involved in providing medical treatment and research facilities, under Pradhan Mantri Swasthya Suraksha Yojana (PMSSY) it has been envisaged to establish six AIIMS like Institutions at Patna, Raipur, Bhopal, Jodhpur, Bhubaneshwar and Rishikesh at an outlay of Rs.280 crores each approximately along with upgradation of 11 medical Institutions with an outlay of Rs.120 crores each approximately. In addition no. of Government agencies like ICMR, CSIR, ICAR, Department of Bio-Technology, Department of Science and Technology etc. are supporting various programmes and building capacity for conducting Medical Research.